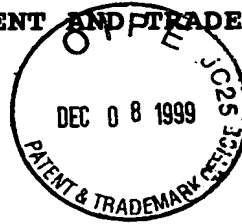


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Applicants: C. EKLUND
Serial No.: 09/429,626
Filing Date: October 29, 1999
For: A METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INITIATING
COMPRESSION OF HEADERS OF PACKETS AND
REFRESHING THE CONTEXT RELATED TO THE PACKETS
Art Unit: 2755
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SUBMISSION OF DECLARATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.63

Assistant Commissioner
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Washington, D.C. 20231

December 8, 1999

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, which was originally filed on October 29, 1999 without a Declaration, and responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted dated November 29, 1999 please find attached hereto a Declaration for submission under 37 CFR §1.63, executed by each of the inventors in the above-identified application.

A check for the requisite \$130.00 fee is attached. Should any additional fees become due in connection with the filing of this Declaration, please charge Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Case No. 017.37246X00).

Respectfully submitted,

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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare: that my citizenship, residence and post office address are as stated below; that I verily believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one is named below) or a joint inventor (if plural inventors are named below) of the invention entitled:

A METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INITIATING COMPRESSION OF HEADERS OF PACKETS AND REFRESHING THE CONTEXT RELATED TO THE PACKETS

the specification of which _____ is attached hereto

X was filed on October 29, 1999 as Application
Serial No. _____ and was amended on
_____.

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Prior Foreign Application(s)

Priority Claimed

(Number)

(Country)

(Day/Month/Year Filed)

Yes

No

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(Application Serial No.)

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